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Abstract

The main goal of the project was the development a computer code capable to simulate the operation of a multi-cylinder common rail diesel engine.The code should be used in investigating the possibilities of a commercial engine to be adapted for miltary applications by increasing the engine output whhile reducing fuel consumption and assure safe operation of the engine.

In the process of developing the simulation model and the corresponding computer code, the critical loading of the engine bearings and the piston assembly were determined by developing detailed models for loading and stresses in the bearings and the piston. Experimental setups were developed to validate the models.

To correctly estimate the fuel consumption, a detailed friction simulation model has been developed.

Both experimental and analytical investigations were conducted to allow better estimation of the ignition delay, combustion and emissions.

The Computer based Adaptation Tool has been built in a modular form in the Matlab-SIMULINK platform. The advantage of this configuration resides in the fact that modules could be replaced as new modules are developed, for example the ignition delay and the combustion modules for different fuels that could be used by the diesel engine.

Finally the Computer Based Adaptation Tool has been validated by experiments conducted on a 2.5 liters common rail diesel engine both for steady state operation and for engine transients.

<u>The main achievments obtained during the period of operation (2003-08) are the following:</u>

- Development of detailed models and simulation codes for the loading and lubrication of multi-cylinder main engine bearings
- Development of a detailed model and simulation code for the total engine friction losses
- Development of a tribology test rig that allows for the direct measurement of the instantaneous piston-assembly friction force under motoring conditions
- Development of a dynamic model to examine the piston secondary motions and the relationships with which they interact with the lubricating oil film.
- Development an experimental single cylinder diesel engine equipped with telemetric system to measure piston secondary motion
- Development the **Computer Based Adaptation Tool** consisting of the complex simulation model, developed in Matlab-Simulink for a multi-cylinder high power density military engine including a new total engine friction model and a model of the common rail injection system.
- Development of a model to reconstruct cylinder pressure variation from the measure instantaneous crankshaft speed.
- Development of control strategies for Cold Starting of diesel engines with common-rail injection system
- Development of a 3D CFD model to compute the non steady state heat transfer in the EGR cooler of a diesel engine and experimental model validation
- Experimental research of the effect of replacing diesel fuel by biodiesel on autoignition, combustion and emissions to adapt military engines to the use of biodiesel
- Experimental research in the optical accessible engine to determine the effects of different fuel properties on autoignition, combustion and emissions necessary to adaptation of military engines to the use of different fuels.
- Enhancement of the accuracy of the $(P-\omega)$ method by relying on estimated rather than measured state variables of the piston/connecting-rod/crankshaft mechanism.

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